What is PRESENT TENSE JAZZ

"When they play, you can just sit back and enjoy the energy as your senses take a much needed vacation."

-Bob Leggett / Music Connection Magazine

• <u>PRESENT TENSE JAZZ</u> is a "Smooth Jazz Jam Band" that brings instrumental compositions into a new era. By blending driving jazz grooves with textures of R&B, rock, funk, and

Ronnie Kaufman & Richard J. Frank

touches of Latin, the ensemble creates a fresh sound that is as sophisticated as it is accessible.

- Present Tense Jazz is influenced by Dave Matthews, Chick Corea, Joe Sample, Boney James, Phil Collins, and numerous classic rock and R&B masters.
- Ronnie Kaufman's roots stem from several GAP Band recordings and numerous tours.
- Richard Frank's background includes classical symphonic performances, Harry James tour, and numerous rock/jazz projects.
- "Smooth Talkin' features special guests Eric Marienthal, sax, and Alex Acuna, percussion.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS:

BEST JAZZ ARTIST nominee (Orange County Music Association)



BEST JAZZ ARTIST nominee (Los Angeles Music Awards)

BEST FUSION ARTIST (Long Beach Jazz Search)

FINALIST (Great American Song Competition) for "Smiles"



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All compositions written by Richard J. Frank and/or Ronnie Kaufman, except Dream On written by Steven Tyler/Aerosmith.

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